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On the same date as the Notice of Allowance mailing, 12/16/2009, the applicant filed an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). This IDS has been fully considered and attached hereto. After consideration of this IDS, Claims 1-55 remain allowable for the reasons noted in the Notice of Allowance from 12/16/2009 (See Pages 3-5).

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